

REMARKS

An Article 34 amendment to the claims is filed concurrently herewith, in which claims 1-10 in the Article 34 amendment are the originally filed claims.

In the present amendment, claims 1-10 are currently amended.

Claims 11-18 are added.

Claims 1-10 have been amended to remove multiple dependencies, to clarify claim language, and for minor editorial purposes.

Claims 1-10 are supported by claims 1-10 and the specification, as originally filed.

Claims 11-14 is supported by claims 7-10, as originally filed.

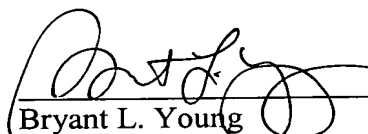
Claims 15-18 is supported by claim 10 and the specification at page 21, lines 16-20, as originally filed.

Upon entry of the amendment, claims 1-18 will be active.

No new matter is believed to have been added. An action on the merits and allowance of the claims is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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